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The results obtained from measurements of gust and draft velocities within thunderstorms at Clinton County Army Air Field, Ohio, for the period of August 13, 1947 to August 15, 1947 are presented herein. These data are summarized in tables I and II, respectively, and are of the type presented in reference 1 for previous flights. The length of traverses in feet was not computed for these flights in order to expedite handling of the data.

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#### REFERENCE

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### TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS FROM FLIGHTS OF P-61C AIRPLANES WITHIN THUNDERSTORMS

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity <sup>Ut</sup> max (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts		
August 13, 1947 - Flight 23 Airplane 344										
	<del></del>	,	20,000	ft						
(a)										
		Airplane 327 - Traverse l Length of traverse 477.2 sec								
0 - 100 100 - 110 110 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 140 - 150 150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180 180 - 260 260 - 270 270 - 300 300 - 340 340 - 350 350 - 360 360 - 370 370 - 380 380 - 480	15,000 14,500 15,000 14,500 14,500	9.5 8.0 10.6 8.9 8.5 3.6 2.3	-8.7 -15.1 -6.9 -10.9 -6.1 -3.5 -5.1	8.6	-6.7	127	118	0 11 7 5 4 2 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 2 0 0		
	Airplane 327 - Traverse 2 Length of traverse 1010.0 sec									
0 - 90 100	14,500	7.0		11.5		<b></b> 68		0		

<sup>\*</sup>Failure in operation of accelerometer prevented computation of gust velocities.

bCloud entry.

CCloud exit.



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Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity <sup>Ut</sup> max (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts
	Au	gust l	3, 1947	- Flig	ht 23			
			327 - 1 traverse					
100 - 110 110 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 140 - 150 150 - 160 150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180 180 - 190 190 - 280 280 - 290 290 - 300 300 - 310 310 - 320 320 - 330 310 - 320 320 - 330 330 - 340 350 - 380 350 - 380 390 - 400 410 - 420 420 - 450 450 - 460 640 - 470 470 - 480 480 - 490 490 - 500 510 - 670 670 - 680 680 - 690	15,000 14,500 15,000 14,500 14,500	2.75 3.6128 5.165357 4.3189 1.3684.69 1.52 1.18 1.3684.69 1.51 1.52 1.431 1.52 1.431 1.52 1.431 1.52 1.53 1.5	-7.0 -5.1 -7.6 -2.1 -12.9 -6.7 -12.3 -15.0 -5.4 -2.9 -4.9 -8.1 -9.9 -6.9 -4.9	7.8 5.0 3.6 3.6 26.2 9.4	-6.9 -18.4 -2	175 159	24  24  64      84 123	01313311105255341043500102810013

Cloud entry.



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Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity <sup>U</sup> tmax (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts
	Au	gust 1	3, 1947	- Flig	ht 23			
			e 327 - travers					
690 - 700 700 - 710 710 - 720 720 - 730 730 - 740 740 - 750 750 - 760 760 - 770 770 - 780 780 - 800 800 - 810 810 - 820 820 - 830 830 - 840 840 - 850 850 - 860 870 - 890 900 - 910 910 - 920 920 - 930 930 - 940 940 - 960 960 - 970 970 - 980 980 - 990 990 - 1000	14,500 15,000 14,500		-5.2 -13.7 -4.9 -3.6 -3.6 -4.9 -5.2 -4.9 -6.9 -5.6 -5.0 -5.0 -3.4 -4.0	12.0 35.0 27.0 4.0  8.0 9.8  13.2	-9.6 -9.1	42 141 78 114  80 193  224 84	172 145  129  156	55612000120251112105312200521
990 - 1000 c1000 - 1010	15,000	2.2		8.0				1

bCloud entry. cCloud exit.





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	<del>~~~~</del>	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps) gust 13, 1947		Maximum true gust velocity Utmax (fps) - Flight 23		Gu grad dist (f	ient ance	No. of gusts
0 - 30 b30 - 40 40 - 50 50 - 60 60 - 70 70 - 80 80 - 90 90 - 100	14,500 15,000	4.1 8.2 3.6 4.4 3.5 4.6	-8.9 -6.7 -3.1 -4.8 -5.6					0 18 3 3 0 2 7
100 - 110 110 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 140 - 190 190 - 240 240 - 250	14,500 15,000	17.2 3.5 13.7 2.7	-10.5	29.5 14.7 9.6	-8.8	55 36 109	151	3852000
<sup>b</sup> 250 - 260 260 - 270 270 - 280 280 - 290 290 - 300 300 - 310 <sup>c</sup> 310 - 320 320 - 330		3.6 7.7 8.0 9.8 5.4	-2.2 -9.4 -6.8 -12.9 -5.2	9.5 11.0 9.3	-13.2	63 112 173	126	04655300
330 - 340 340 - 350 350 - 360 360 - 370 370 - 380 380 - 400 400 - 770	14,500	3.7	-3.1 -3.5 -3.5					0 0 0 0 0 0 0





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Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Ue max (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity Ut max (fps) - Flight 23		grad dist	st ient ance t)	No. of gusts
<b>'</b> .	^ A Len	irplan gth of	e 327 -	Traver	se 3			
b770 - 780 780 - 790 790 - 800 800 - 810 810 - 820 820 - 830 830 - 840 840 - 850 860 - 870 870 - 880 880 - 890 890 - 900 900 - 910 910 - 920 920 - 930 930 - 940 c 940 - 950 950 - 1100 1110 - 1120 1120 - 1130 1130 - 1140 1140 - 1150 1150 - 1160 1160 - 1170 1170 - 1180 1180 - 1200	14,500 15,000	4.9 7.7 2.0 7.0 7.0 7.0 7.0 7.0 7.0 7.0 7.0 7.0 7	-4.0 -5.3 -16.2 -12.5 -8.5 -5.8 -9.8 -2.8 -2.8 -2.8 -2.8 -2.8 -2.8 -2.8 -2	13.7  6.7 9.8  5.5	-6.9 -6.9 -16.9 -5.9 -4.8	230  61 229  31	199 134 139 140	04875302172543410000210176065

Cloud entry. Cloud exit.





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Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity <sup>U</sup> t <sub>max</sub> (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts	
August 13, 1947 - Flight 23									
Airplane 327 - Traverse 3 Length of traverse 1999.2 sec									
1200 - 1210 1210 - 1220 1220 - 1230 1230 - 1240 1240 - 1250 1250 - 1260 1250 - 1260 1260 - 1320 1320 - 1580 1580 - 1590 1590 - 1600 1600 - 1610 1610 - 1620 1620 - 1630 1630 - 1640 1640 - 1650 1650 - 1660 1660 - 1670 1670 - 1680 1680 - 1690 1690 - 1700 1710 - 1720 1720 - 1870 1870 - 1880 1880 - 1900 1900 - 1940 1940 - 1950 1950 - 1960 1960 - 1970 1970 - 1990 1990 - 2000	15,000 15,500 15,000 14,500 14,500 15,000 14,500	3.3 3.3 3.3 3.3 3.3 3.3 3.3 3.3 3.4 3.3 3.4 3.3	-4.9 -13.0 -9.8 -13.0 -9.8 -2.0 -3.3 -2.0 -6.1 -2.9 -6.1 -2.7 -3.8 -2.9 -3.0 -2.1 -2.9	3.5 	-12.1   -6.2  -5.9 5.2 -4.1	147 85 107  125  26 	256    106  155  122  110 43	1811100022000871472110030025100	





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Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		Meximum true gust velocity U <sub>tmax</sub> (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts	
	Aug	gust 1	3, 1947	- Flig	ht 23				
			e 327 - traver						
0 - 30  130 - 40  40 - 50  50 - 60  60 - 70  70 - 80  80 - 90  90 - 100  110 - 120  120 - 130  130 - 140  140 - 150  150 - 160  160 - 170  170 - 180  180 - 190  190 - 200  200 - 210  210 - 220  220 - 230  230 - 240	14,500 15,000 14,500	12.094 10.4.6	-17.5 -7.2 -6.2 -8.5 -6.5 -5.1 -4.8 -3.8 -6.5 -6.5	16.1	-6.8   -6.5  -19.8	107  68  113 138  88  133	90	0496130134272351018010	
Airplane 333 - Traverse l Length of traverse 179.5 sec									
0 - 20 20 - 80 80 - 100 100 - 180	10,000 9,500 10,000 9,500	(a)							

EFailure in operation of accelerometer prevented computation of gust velocities.

bCloud entry.

CCloud exit.





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Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity Ut <sub>max</sub> (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts	
	Au	gust l	3, 1947	- Flig	ht 23				
			e 333 - f trave			· ·			
0 - 20 20 - 90 90 - 110 110 - 120 120 - 170	10,000 9,500 10,000	(d)						0 0 0	
Airplane 333 - Traverse 3 Length of traverse 339.8 sec									
0 - 10 10 - 50 50 - 60 60 - 70 70 - 80 680 - 90 90 - 120 120 - 210 210 - 220 220 - 230 230 - 240 240 - 250 250 - 260 270 - 340	9,500	(e) 12.7 11.4 4.7 2.7 5.4 13.5 8.5 7.4	-3.6 -7.0 -11.0 -10.0 -14.7 -10.2 -5.2	10.1 7.6 10.8 9.7	-6.0 -8.2 -5.8	232 154 86 141	89  80  90 	0 7 8 4 5 0 0 0 5 7 6 m o o	
	Airplane 333 - Traverse 4 Length of traverse 258.0 sec								
0 - 20 20 - 50 50 - 90	9,500	(f) 						0 0	

Accelerometer inoperative for first 93 sec of traverse.

Accelerometer inoperative for first 17 sec of traverse.

Accelerometer inoperative for first 25 sec of traverse.





TABLE I.- SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity  Uemax (fps)		Meximum true gust velocity U <sub>tmex</sub> (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		grata of No	
August 13, 1947 - Flight 23									
Airplane 333 - Traverse 4 Length of traverse 258.0 sec									
90 - 140 b140 - 150 150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180 180 - 190 c190 - 200 200 - 260	9,500	3.6 4.2 6.5 7.7	-7.2 -7.2 -5.8 -4.4 -5.1	h:1	-11.6 -6.2 	124	148  70 	0 3 H 2 5 1 0 0	
			e 333 - f traver						
0 - 60 60 - 100 100 - 110 110 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 140 - 150 °150 - 160	9,500 10,000 9,500	(g) 3.4 4.9 8.5	-4.4 -3.7 -5.3 	19.5		75		5 1 2 0 0	
			e 333 - f traver			_			
0 - 50 50 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180 °180 - 190 190 - 200 200 - 230	9,500 10,000	(h) 6.0 5.1	-8.6 -5.8 -3.8 -3.8		 -5.1 -6.6		99 70	1 5 3 1	

bCloud entry. cCloud exit.

SAccelerometer inoperative for first 101 sec of traverse. hAccelerometer inoperative for first 166 sec of traverse.





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

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Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity U <sub>tmax</sub> (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts	
	Au	gust 1	3, 1947	- Flig	ht 23		,		
			e 333 - f trave				· <u>-</u> -		
230 - 240 240 - 250 250 - 270 270 - 290 290 - 300 300 - 310 310 - 320 320 - 330 340 - 350 350 - 360 360 - 370 370 - 380 380 - 390 390 - 400 410 - 420 420 - 430 440 - 450 440 - 450 460 - 490	9,500 10,000 9,500 10,000	8.09847285204288913459276-	-4.6 -1.9 -1.9 -7.3.7 -1.9 -1.9 -1.9 -1.9 -1.9 -1.9 -1.9 -1.9	18.5  13.0 8.8 12.6 6.5	-6.6 -3.0 -13.6 -12.5 -8.4 -8.9	29  29  96  156 87 136	67 65  201 86  200  35	1000235556464792742640	
-	Airplane 333 - Traverse 7 Length of traverse 642.6 sec								
0 - 100 100 - 110 110 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140	9,500	(i)  19.4 5.6 3.4	-8.8 -5.7 -7.2 -2.1					1 5 5 2	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup>Cloud entry.

<sup>c</sup>Cloud exit.

<sup>1</sup>Accelerometer inoperative for first 107 sec of traverse.





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Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	eff g vel U (	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity Utmax (fps) - Flight 23		st ient ance t)	No. of gusts
,	A	irplan	e 333 - f traver	Traver	se 7			
140 - 150 150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180 180 - 190 190 - 200 200 - 210 210 - 220 220 - 230 230 - 240 240 - 250 250 - 260 260 - 270 270 - 280 280 - 290 290 - 300 310 - 320 320 - 330 310 - 320 320 - 330 310 - 410 410 - 420 420 - 430 440 - 460 440 - 460 460 - 470 470 - 480 5480 - 490 500 - 510 510 - 520 520 - 530	9,500 10,000 9,500 10,000 9,500	4.7 5.3 11.1 14.3 15.8 8.8 15.4 17.4 17.4 17.4 17.4 17.4 17.4 17.4 17.4 17.4 17.4 17.4 17.4 17.4 17.4 17.4 17.4 17.6 17.	-2.8 -3.5 -11.4 -9.5 -10.3 -16.1 -11.3 -12.1 -11.0 -3.8 -3.9 -2.1 -2.1 -2.1 -2.1 -2.1 -2.1 -2.1 -2.1	8.4  19.9  5.0  5.3	-5.6 -16.0 -22.5 -9.7 -6.3 -3.1 -10.8	87  223 102  44  238  131  144 88	154  270  317  134 78  55  55  68 149	1012073634303432110010101113486

bCloud entry. cCloud exit.





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity Ut <sub>max</sub> (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts
	Au	gust l	3, 1947	- Flig	ht 23			
			e 333 - f traver					
530 - 540 540 - 550 550 - 560 560 - 570 570 - 580 580 - 590 590 - 600 600 - 610 610 - 650	10,000 9,500	7.7 3.3 2.7  10.1 9.2	-6.0 -12.0 -2.9 -3.3 -1.5 -14.2	9.0	  -5.7 -7.3	186  39  	298 191	6 4 2 0 1 3 0 2 0
			e 333 - f traver					
0 - 80 80 - 100 100 - 110 110 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 140 - 150 150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180 180 - 190 190 - 200 200 - 210	9,500 10,000 9,500	(j) 5.3 6.5 5.9 3.9	-3.4 -12.2 -6.8 -3.3 -2.7 -3.9	7.1	-6.9  -4.3	110  50  105	260	0 2 2 6 1 1 1 2 0 1 0 0
			e 333 - f traver			<b></b>		
0 - 120 120 - 190	10,000 9,500	(k)	,					

bCloud entry.

CCloud exit.

JAccelerometer inoperative for first 79 sec of traverse.

kAccelerometer inoperative for first 193 sec of traverse.





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Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity <sup>U</sup> t <sub>max</sub> (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No- of gusts			
	Au	gust 1	3, 1947	- Flig	ht 23						
			e 333 - f traver								
190 - 510  510 - 520  520 - 530  530 - 540  540 - 550  550 - 560  560 - 590  590 - 600  600 - 610  610 - 620  620 - 630  640 - 650  650 - 660  660 - 670  670 - 680  680 - 690  690 - 700  710 - 720  6720 - 730	9,500	5.2 4.7 6.7 3.9 4.0 4.2 5.0 6.3 10.5 8.1	-2.1 -4.1 -4.2 -10.4 -5.9 -9.8 -1.7 -3.7 -3.7 -7.3 -7.4.9 -4.9 -6.2	9.3	-7.2 -15.6  -8.4	124	87  179  100	୦୦ ୫ ୮୦ ୦ ୨ ୧ ୮୦ ୦ ୨ ୧ ୮୦ ୦ ୨ ୨ ୨ ୨ ୨ ୨ ୨ ୨ ୨ ୨ ୨			
	Au	gust 1	4, 1947	- Flig	ht 24	<del></del>					
Airplane 344 - Traverse 1 Length of traverse 364.2 sec											
0 - 10 10 - 20 20 - 30 30 - 40 40 - 50	19,500 20,000	4.9  5.4	-5.6 -3.3 -5.6		-4.0 -7.8		50  102	0 0 5 5			





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			Me	v i mum	Max	imum.			<del>                                     </del>
Time interva (sec)		Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity  Uemax (fps)		true gust velocity U <sub>max</sub> (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts
		Au	gust 1	4, 1947	- Flig	ht 24			
				e 344 - f traver					
50 - 6 60 - 7 70 - 8 80 - 9 90 - 1 110 - 1 120 - 1 130 - 1 140 - 1 150 - 2 240 - 2 250 - 2 260 - 2 280 - 2 290 - 3 330 - 3 340 - 3 350 - 3	70 80 91 120 120 130 140 150 240 250 270 280 280 280 280 280 280 280 280 280 28	20,000 19,500 20,000 20,000	3.3 2.6  2.4 5.6 3.7 12.4 5.7 8.3 14.7	-4.8 -5.6 -4.7 -3.9 -4.5 -4.7 -7.1 -11.2 -10.9	8.5  7.8 11.9 	-6.4 -6.4	153  49 37  28 	275	124101111014146660000
				e 344 - ' f traver					
0 - 1 b10 - 2 c20 - 3 30 - 4 b40 - 5 50 - 6	20 30 40 50	20,000 19,500 20,000	1.9 10.6 6.5  15.4 22.5	-5.8 -5.4 -11.6 -6.7 -23.3	9.8  17.4		80  33		0 N C 0 N I N

Cloud entry. Cloud exit.





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-	Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemex (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity <sup>U</sup> t <sub>max</sub> (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts
		Au	gust 1	4, 1947	- Flig	ht 24			
				e 344 - f trave					
] c <sub>3</sub>	60 - 70 70 - 80 80 - 90 90 - 100 100 - 110 10 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 140 - 160	20,000	13.2 5.9 12.4 7.9 13.0 10.1	-18.1 -8.6 -5.5 -7.7 -11.4					8 3 2 11 2 0 0
	-			e 344 - f trave					
1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	0 - 20 20 - 30 30 - 40 40 - 50 50 - 60 60 - 70 70 - 80 80 - 90 90 - 100 100 - 110 100 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 140 - 150 150 - 160 170 - 180 180 - 190 190 - 210	20,500 20,000 20,500 21,000 21,000	16.3 11.5 11.3 11.4 6.8 15.4 11.7 1.7 5.4 6.2 10.3 3.5	-6.7 -6.5 -10.8 -9.5 -7.9 -12.9 -10.4 -5.6 -5.6 -4.5 -5.3 -4.4	43.6	-11.0	379	61	0125554390211152400





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Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Ue <sub>max</sub> (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity <sup>U</sup> t <sub>max</sub> (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts			
August 14, 1947 - Flight 24											
	Airplane 344 - Traverse 4 Length of traverse 435.3 sec										
0 - 220 220 - 230 230 - 240 240 - 250 250 - 260 260 - 270 270 - 280 280 - 290 290 - 300 310 - 320 320 - 330 310 - 360 320 - 360 340 - 360 340 - 360 350 - 370 360 - 370 370 - 380 390 - 400 400 - 410 410 - 420 420 - 440	19,000 20,000 20,500 21,000	1.6 3.1 13.7 8.2 15.6 18.8 25.4 16.4 11.3 2.4 8.3 1.6 4.7 2.3 5.1	-5.0 -4.5 -6.3 -3.9 -10.5 -15.3 -14.0 -18.7 -10.6 -13.9 -12.3 -7.2 -4.3 -4.2	4.5	-8.2	92	162	O 2 3 3 5 5 9 7 9 8 8 5 4 0 32 2 30 0 0			
	Airplane 344 - Traverse 5 Length of traverse 309.5 sec										
0 - 30 30 - 40 40 - 80 80 - 90 90 - 100 100 - 110	19,500	5.0  4.4 2.3	   -5.1	5.7	-8.1	147	   139	0 3 0 2 1			





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	Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity <sup>Ut</sup> max (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts	
-	August 14, 1947 - Flight 24									
				e 344 - f traver				<u></u>		
C	110 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 140 - 150 150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180 180 - 190 190 - 200 200 - 210 210 - 240 240 - 250 250 - 260 250 - 260 260 - 270 270 - 280 280 - 290 290 - 300 300 - 310	19,500							136120312100594020	
				327 - Tr traverse						
	0 - 60 60 - 70 70 - 80 80 - 90 90 - 100 100 - 110 110 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 140 - 150 150 - 160 260 - 170	14,500 15,000	7.9  4.1 7.0 7.0 3.5 3.5	-4.5 -3.5 -3.5 -3.8 -7.8 -7.8 -2.9	7.5	-4.3	258  77 117 	167	022102530121	

bCloud entry.



Cloud exit.



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Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity <sup>U</sup> tmax (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts
	Au	gust 1	4, 1947	- Flig	ht 24			
			e 327 - f traver					
170 - 180 180 - 190 190 - 200 200 - 210 210 - 220 220 - 230 230 - 240 240 - 250 250 - 280 290 - 300 310 - 320 320 - 330 310 - 320 330 - 340 350 - 360 360 - 370 360 - 370 370 - 380 380 - 390 390 - 440 440 - 470	15,000 15,500 16,000 15,500 16,500 17,000 16,500 16,500 16,500 16,500 15,500	9.5 16.5 7.3 12.1 11.4 17.8 8.9  10.5 16.5 20.0 26.1 5.1	-5.1 -6.0 -20.0 -6.0 -14.9 -18.8 -8.3 -6.7 -13.7 -9.5 -10.7 -19.4	17.2	-23.1	159	91	7264454200128377600000
			e 327 - f traver					
0 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 140 - 150	14,500	6.6	-2.2		-2.3		103	0 1 0 1

bCloud entry. cCloud exit.





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Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity  Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity <sup>Ut</sup> max (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts
	Au	gust 1	4, 1947	- Flig	ht 24			
	A Le:	irplan	e 327 - f trave	Traver	se 2 0 sec			
150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180 180 - 190 190 - 200 200 - 210 210 - 220 220 - 230 240 - 250 250 - 260 290 - 340 350 - 360 350 - 360 350 - 370 360 - 370 370 - 380 390 - 410 410 - 420 420 - 430 450 - 460 450 - 460 450 - 460 460 - 470 470 - 480 490 - 500 510 - 560	14,500 15,000 14,500 15,000 14,500	2.8 15.55.58 16.3 1.2 2.2 3.57.3 12.06.3 7.7.7.7 4.7 4	-3.5 -5.1 -3.5 -11.1 -10.1 -1.9 -7.6 -3.8 -2.2 -4.7 -2.5 -4.2 -3.1 -7.9 -5.4 -7.9 -7.9 -7.9 -7.9 -7.1 -10.1	24.0 24.0 4.8  7.6 20.3	-6.7 -16.4 -4.1 -23.8 -4.9	86 	61.	1110195430100203341574374422000





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Meximum effective gust velocity  Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity Utmax (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts
	Au	gust 1	4, 1947	- Flig	ht 24		,	
			e 327 - f traver					
0 - 90 90 - 100 100 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 140 - 150 150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180 180 - 190 190 - 200 200 - 230 230 - 240 240 - 250 250 - 390	14,500 15,000 15,500 16,000 15,500	26.6 14.1 19.1 8.8	-3.8 -18.5 -8.4 -16.9 -10.3 -10.6 -5.0		-6.0 -6.0 		100	0 0 0 0 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
			e 327 - f traver					
0 - 20 b20 - 30 30 - 100 100 - 110 110 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 140 - 150 150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180 180 - 190	15,000 14,500	2.5 3.1 3.4 5.5 7.5 7.5	-4·3 -3·7 -7·1 -14·6 -7·5	4.4	-7.4	101	127	000101146816





TABLE I -- SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity <sup>Ut</sup> max (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts		
	August 14, 1947 - Flight 24  Airplane 327 - Traverse 4									
190 - 210										
0 - 260 260 - 270 270 - 280 280 - 290 290 - 300 300 - 310 310 - 320 320 - 330 340 - 350 350 - 370 370 - 380 380 - 390 390 - 400 400 - 410 410 - 420 420 - 430 440 - 450		7.8 12.7 4.3 3.4 4.3 4.3 3.7						0205401421024461020		

bCloud entry. cCloud exit.





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maxim effect gust veloci U <sub>ema</sub> (fps	ive tr gr ty vel x Ut	Maximum true gust velocity U <sub>tmax</sub> (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		
			1947 - Flie					
			27 - Traver raverse 561			,		
450 - 460 460 - 470 470 - 480 480 - 490 6490 - 500 500 - 510 510 - 520 520 - 530 530 - 540 540 - 550 550 - 560 560 - 570	460 - 470       470 - 480     14,500       5.9        480 - 490     6.5       6.5        500 - 510        510 - 520     4.7       520 - 530        530 - 540     5.3       540 - 550     15,000       550 - 560							
,	A Le	irplane 30 ngth of to	27 - Traver raverse 241	rse 6 9 sec				
0 - 10 10 - 20 20 - 30 30 - 70 570 - 80 80 - 90 90 - 100 100 - 110 110 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 140 - 150 150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180 180 - 190	14,500 15,000 15,500 16,000 16,500	4.6 5.5 - 10.7 5.5 11.0 -1 16.2 -1 9.5 -1 23.3 -1 12.0 -1 11.3 -1	3.1 3.1 3.1 3.1 8.4 4.3 0.4 0.7 5.6 2.3 5.9 3.2		141		0110022761959742	

bCloud entry. cCloud exit.





TABLE I'- SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity <sup>Ut</sup> mex (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts
	Au	gust 1	4, 1947	- Flig	ht 24			
			e 327 - f traver					
190 - 200 c200 - 210 210 - 250	16,500							000
	A Le	irplan ngth o	e 351 - f traver	Traver	se l .4 sec		`	
0 - 10 10 - 20 20 - 30 30 - 40 40 - 50 50 - 60 60 - 70 70 - 80 60 - 90 90 - 100 100 - 110 110 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140	10,000 9,500	3.8 6.3 6.5 7.7 4.7 6.4 14.2 15.2 5.1	-8.5 -3.3 -5.5 -7.8 -15.9 -6.6 -7.9 -10.7 -10.8 -4.7	8.2 10.9 10.4 4.1	-5-7 -7-9 -5-2	249 306  191  80	114	0 2 1 2 3 3 3 9 9 0 0 0 5 7 W 0
130 - 140 140 - 530 530 - 540 540 - 550 550 - 560 560 - 570 570 - 580 580 - 590 590 - 600 600 - 610 610 - 620 620 - 630	9,500 9,000 9,500 9,000 9,500	9.3 6.9 4.1 7.9 21.1 11.7 5.6 18.7	-5.3 -5.2 -3.2 -16.4 -8.9 -4.5 -10.8	12.3	-20.°	245	69  243	400563768277





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		tr gu vel Ut (f	Maximum true gust velocity <sup>Ut</sup> max (fps)		st ient ance t)	No. of gusts		
August 14, 1947 - Flight 24  Airplane 351 - Traverse 1  Length of traverse 824.4 sec										
630 - 640 640 - 650 650 - 760 76c - 770 770 - 780 780 - 790 790 - 800 800 - 810 810 - 820 820 - 830	C640 - 650       10,000       5.0       -7.1									
			e 351 - f traver							
0 - 10 10 - 20 20 - 40	9,500	20.2	-19.7 -18.6 					5 3 0		
			e 351 - travers							
0 - 10 b10 - 20 20 - 30 30 - 40 40 - 50 50 - 60 60 - 70 70 - 80 80 - 90 90 - 100	10,000 9,500	15.9 8.7 9.2 12.7 12.2 5.3	-12.9 -12.6 -6.8 -8.0 -3.7 -5.3	8.3		297		0 5 6 4 4 5 7 0 1 3		





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity Utmax (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No- of gusts			
August 14, 1947 - Flight 24											
			e 351 - traver								
100 - 110 110 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 140 - 150 150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 190 190 - 200 200 - 210 210 - 230 230 - 250 250 - 260 260 - 380 380 - 390 390 - 400 400 - 680 680 - 690 590 - 700 700 - 710 710 - 720 720 - 730 730 - 740 740 - 750 750 - 760 760 - 770	9,500 10,000 9,500 10,000 9,500	2.4 2.5 5.0 1.9 2.9 2.9 2.9 2.5 	-2.9 -4.1 -2.9 -2.9 -2.9 -4.1 -2.6 -15.8 -4.4 -4.2 -9.4 -14.9 -8.6 -11.9	3.9 3.1 5.0 26.8  10.7	-4.8	103  71  157  110  136 30	210	12020210320010120063707799			
770 - 780 780 - 790 790 - 800 800 - 810 810 - 820 820 - 830		5.7 2.8 4.8 5.5 5.8	-11.9 -5.2 -8.1 -9.4 -13.8	12.3		292		74 2 5 2 5 4			

bCloud entry.





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity <sup>U</sup> t <sub>max</sub> (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts			
August 14, 1947 - Flight 24											
			e 351 - travera								
830 - 840 840 - 850 850 - 860 860 - 870 870 - 880 880 - 890 890 - 900 910 - 920 920 - 930 930 - 940 940 - 950 950 - 1030 1030 - 1420 1420 - 1430 1430 - 1440 1440 - 1450 1450 - 1460 1460 - 1470 1470 - 1480 1490 - 1500 1500 - 1520 1520 - 1540 1500 - 1550 1560 - 1570 1570 - 1580 1580 - 1590 1600 - 1640 1640 - 1660	9,000 8,500 9,000 9,500 10,000 9,500	10.3 8.7 19.2 12.9 12.9 14.7 12.0 29.2 15.7 10.6 7.9 3.3 10.2 5.4 5.0 2.5 12.4 8 16.6 7.5 4.7	-10.2 -11.6 -11.2 -16.1 -18.2 -10.0 -6.7 -14.8 -24.2 -16.1 -12.2 -1.2 -7.1 -7.1 -7.1 -7.1 -7.1	7.6		237		58777972465000138635110055421000			





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity U <sub>emax</sub> (fps)		Meximum true gust velocity <sup>U</sup> t <sub>max</sub> (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts			
August 14, 1947 - Flight 24											
Airplane 351 - Traverse 3 Length of traverse 2303.4 sec											
1660 - 1670 1670 - 1680 1680 - 1690 1690 - 1700 1700 - 1710 1710 - 1720 1720 - 1790 1790 - 1800 1800 - 2120 2120 - 2130 2130 - 2140 2140 - 2150 2150 - 2160 2160 - 2170 2170 - 2180 2190 - 2200 2200 - 2210 2210 - 2220 2220 - 2230 2230 - 2240 2240 - 2250 2260 - 2290 2290 - 2300 2300 - 2310	8,500 8,000 7,500 7,000 7,500 8,500 9,000 9,500	3.7 7.9 7.5 2.0 3.8 5.7 10.4 10.3 8 5.1 6.1 13.6 13.6	-3.6 -5.0 -5.0 -3.4 -5.8 -4.8 -5.7 -17.3 -7.0 -14.0 -7.4 -13.7 -6.4 -11.6	9.4 13.4 5.0 3.9 6.7	-11.2 -12.4	237 377  117  136 89 	147	03410003002655164442820000			

bCloud entry. cCloud exit.





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity <sup>Ut</sup> max (fps)		Gust - gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts			
August 14, 1947 - Flight 24											
			e 353 - f traver								
0 - 20 20 - 30 30 - 40 40 - 50 50 - 60 60 - 80 80 - 90 90 - 100 100 - 110 110 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 140 - 150 150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180 180 - 190 190 - 200 c200 - 210 210 - 240	6,000 5,500 6,000	6.5 3.2 3.2 17.1 11.0 8.4 6.8 9.4 8.1 3.6	-5.2 -4.8 -5.8 -2.5 -8.4 -8.4 -8.4 -7.2 -9.5 -9.4 -11.3 -4.8	26.8	-7.6 -4.4 -6.5	205	89  145 175  120	๐ Ძ Ა Რ Ა Ტ Ა Რ Ა Რ Ა Ა Ა Ა Ა Ა Ა Ა Ა Ა Ა Ა			
			e 353 - f traver			•		•			
0 - 10 b10 - 20 20 - 30 30 - 40 40 - 50 50 - 60 60 - 70	5,500	2.9 4.5 7.4  10.0	-4.5 -5.8 -9.6 -12.2 -6.7	6.5	-7.4 -9.4  -7.9	36	69 139  139 139	2271033			

bCloud entry. cCloud exit.





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps) gust 14, 1947		Maximum true gust velocity Utmax (fps) - Flight 24		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No of gusts
			e 353 - f traver					
70 - 80 80 - 90 90 - 100 100 - 110 110 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 140 - 150 150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180 180 - 190 190 - 200	5 <b>,</b> 500	11.6 14.5 5.1 6.7 7.4 5.8 3.5 6.1 7.4	-5.5 -10.6 -5.1 -5.8 -10.9 	9.9 6.9 5.7 5.5 4.5	-7.4   -19.0	152 68 76  108 172	131	5 M O T N A H O N 4 O H O
·			e 353 - f trave					
0 - 10 10 - 20 20 - 30 30 - 40 40 - 50 50 - 60 60 - 70 70 - 80 80 - 90 90 - 100 100 - 120	5,500 6,000 5,500	2.9 3.5 12.2 7.7 8.7 5.1	 -9.6 -10.6 -6.7 -10.6	4.7 24.2		113  72 139 		01011657500





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity  Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity U <sub>tmax</sub> (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts	
	Au	gust 1	4, 1947	- Flig	ht 24				
			e 353 - f traver						
0 - 30									
			e 353 - f traver					•	
0 - 120 b120 - 130 130 - 140 140 - 150 150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180 180 - 190 190 - 200 200 - 210 210 - 220 220 - 230 230 - 240 240 - 250 250 - 260 260 - 280	5,500 5,000	4.8 6.7 5.7 6.0 5.7 9.0 6.4 7.5 7.5	-2.2 -5.7 -8.6 -4.8 -10.8 -8.5 -8.5 -9.5 -4.8	10.5	-8.5 -7.6	182	101 91	000g6g3555574100	





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps) gust 14, 1947		Maximum true gust velocity Utmax (fps) - Flight 24		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts
	A Le:	irplane	= 353 - f traver	Traver	se 6 •9 sec			
0 - 10 10 - 20 20 - 50 50 - 60 60 - 70 70 - 80 80 - 90 90 - 100 100 - 110 110 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 140 - 150 150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180 180 - 220 220 - 230 230 - 240 240 - 250 250 - 260 260 - 280 290 - 300 310 - 320 320 - 330 330 - 340 340 - 350 350 - 360 c360 - 370 370 - 380 380 - 390	6,000 5,500 5,500	6.2   6   02594988   044   1   625284   2	-5.0 -4.4 -5.0 -5.4 -6.3 -6.3 -6.9 -7.9 -4.8 -4.1 -6.0 -5.4 -6.4 -4.4 -5.4 -5.4	11.2	-6.8 -7.9	145	120 102	22022016933452103222016457210110

bCloud entry. cCloud exit.





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)	Maximum true gust velocity Utmax (fps)	Gust gradient distance (ft)	No. of gusts					
August 14, 1947 - Flight 24										
	. A	irplane 353 ngth of trave	- Traverse 7 erse 312.1 sec		•					
0 - 150 150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180 180 - 190 190 - 200 210 - 220 220 - 230 230 - 240 240 - 250 250 - 260 260 - 270 270 - 280 **280 - 290 290 - 320	5,500 5,000 4,500 4,000 3,500 3,000	17.5 -9.1 12.8 -4.7 12.5 -21.0 4.1 -1.9 6.9 -3.1 2.8 -5.3 5.3 -4.7 2.5 -2.0	7.1 -5.9 6.8	37 92 99	0003109060767110					
٠.	Au	gust 15, 194	7 - Flight 25	· 						
	A Le	irplane 353 ngth of trav	- Traverse 1 erse 72.7 sec							
0 - 30 b30 - 40 40 - 50 c50 - 60 60 - 80	24,000	5.6 9.3 -12.5 10.6	20.9	75	0 2 6 .					





TABLE I -- SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity U <sub>tmax</sub> (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts	
·	Au	gust 1	5, 1947	- Flig	ht 25	<del></del>			
			e 353 - f traver						
0 - 40 b40 - 50 50 - 60 c60 - 70 70 - 100	24,000	12.0 16.9	-6.8 -13.6					03700	
Airplane 353 - Traverse 3 Length of traverse 115.0 sec									
0 - 70 b70 - 80 80 - 90 c90 - 100 100 - 120	24,000	7.5 9.1	-7.4 -9.1 -10.9	18.3	-14.6 	124	120	05610	
,			e 353 - f traver			, .			
0 - 50 50 - 60 60 - 70 70 - 80 80 - 100	. 54,000	11.3	-20.5	26.8		68		0 0 8 0 0	
	A: Lei	irplan	e 353 - f traver	Traver se 120	se 5 •9 sec				
0 - 130	23,500							0	

bCloud entry. Cloud exit.





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effectiv gust velocity <sup>Ue</sup> max (fps)	e tr gu vel Ut	Maximum true gust velocity <sup>Ut</sup> max (fps)		st ient ance t)	No. of gusts				
	August 15, 1947 - Flight 25 Airplane 353 - Traverse 6										
		ngth of tra									
0 - 40 340 - 50 50 - 60 60 - 70 70 - 100	24,000 24,500 24,000	12.7 17.5 -26.	2				0 1 8 0 0				
	Airplane 353 - Traverse 7 Length of traverse 160.0 sec										
0 - 90 <sup>b</sup> 90 - 100 100 - 110 <sup>c</sup> 110 - 120 120 - 160	24,000 24,500	9.4 -6. 5.4 -7. 4.7 -14.	12.0		28		0 4 3 0				
		irplane 353 ngth of tra				.•					
0 - 10 b10 - 20 20 - 30 30 - 40 c40 - 50 50 - 70	24,000	4.3 -5. 7.7 -6.	0				0 1 4 5 0				
	Le	irplane 353 ngth of tra	- Traver verse 207	rse 9 1.0 sec							
0 - 60 60 - 70 70 - 80 60 - 90 90 - 100	24,000	8.6 -7- 5.3 -10. 4.5 -7.	9	-15.5 -19.6		119 125 	0 3 5 2 0				





TABLE I.- SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

				<del></del>				
Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Meximum effective gust velocity Uemex (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity Ut <sub>max</sub> (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts
	Au	gust 1	5, 1947	- Flig	ht 25			
	A Le	irplan ngth o	e 353 - f traver	Traver	se 9 •0 sec			
100 - 110 110 - 150 150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180 180 - 190 190 - 210	24,500 24,000 24,500 24,000	10.3	-6.2 -13.7 -9.1					0 0 0 0 4 4 0
			e 353 - f traver					
0 - 70 b70 - 80 80 - 90 90 - 100 100 - 110 110 - 120 c-b120 - 130 c130 - 140 b140 - 150 c150 - 160 160 - 170 b170 - 180 180 - 190 190 - 200 c200 - 210 210 - 230	24,000 24,500 24,000	8.5 8.4 4.4 4.4 4.2 6.5 8.3 7.4	-6.7 -10.8 -6.9 -8.3  -8.2 -6.4 -10.9	19.0		55    267  314		0557300011025510
			e 353 - f traver					
0 - 100 b100 - 110	24,000	4.3	-4.0					0 2

bCloud entry.

CCloud exit.





TABLE I.- SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity Ut <sub>max</sub> (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts
	А	ugust	15, 1947	/ - Fli	ght 25			
			ne 353 - of trave					
110 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 c140 - 150 150 - 170	24,000	8.9 9.7 4.0	-12.9 -10.6 -7.6 -6.3	26.1		87 		0 0 0 0 0 0
			ne 344 - f traver					
0 - 150 b150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180 180 - 190 190 - 200 210 - 360 360 - 370 b370 - 380 380 - 390 390 - 400 410 - 470 470 - 690 c690 - 700 770 - 800 b800 - 810 810 - 820 820 - 830 830 - 840 c840 - 850	19,500 20,000 19,500 19,500	7.1 3.8 5.3 3.1 3.2 3.1 2.7 7.5 	-8.3 -9.3 -4.8 -5.9 -3.3 -6.9 -5.7 -19.0 -13.7 -12.3 -10.3 -1.8 -7.7	11.1 6.7 9.1 6.0	-19.1	87  52 163  200	325	0 1 9 8 5 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 7 0 0 0 0 0 4 4 9 8 1

bCloud entry. cCloud exit.





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	eff g vel U	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity Utmax (fps)		st ient ence	No. of gusts
			5, 1947 e 344 -					
	Len	gth of	travere	se 3488	3.4 sec			
850 - 950  950 - 960  960 - 970  970 - 980  980 - 990  990 - 1000  1010 - 1130  1130 - 1140  1140 - 1150  1150 - 1160  1170 - 1180  1180 - 1210  1210 - 1300  1310 - 1320  1310 - 1320  1310 - 1350  1310 - 1350  1310 - 1450  1460 - 1470  1470 - 1480  1480 - 1490  1490 - 1500  1500 - 1650  1650 - 1660  1660 - 1670  1670 - 1680  1690 - 1700  1700 - 1740	20,000 19,500	4.5 8.3 9.9 11.2 5.3 3.7 11.1 7.0 6.1 9.5 3.6 5.7	-5.52 -6.39 -8.9 -9.552 -4.7 -8.10 -9.2 -9.62 -4.462 -9.60 -9.60	9.2	-14.4	57	175	024548002510300245400013620291010

bCloud entry. cCloud exit.





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Meximum effective gust velocity  Uemax (fps)		Maximum true gust velocity U <sub>tmax</sub> (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts
	А	ugust	15, 1947	7 - Fli	ght 25	· -		
	Le	Airplaningth of	ne 344 - f traver	Trave	rse 1 8.4 sec			
1740 - 1800 1800 - 1810 1810 - 1820 1820 - 1830 1830 - 1940 1940 - 1950 1950 - 1960 1960 - 1970 1970 - 1980 1980 - 2000 2000 - 2010 2010 - 2020 2020 - 2030 2030 - 2040 2050 - 2180 2190 - 2200 2210 - 2290 2290 - 2300 2310 - 2290 2300 - 2310 2310 - 2320 2320 - 2330 2330 - 2340 2340 - 2350 2350 - 2360 2360 - 2380 2360 - 2380 2390 - 2410 2410 - 2420 2420 - 2650	20,000 19,500 20,000 19,500 20,000	6.78 7.4 10.16 10.9 11.07 14.6 15.55 15.55 1.29 3.0 1.30 1.40 1.50	-10.3 -7.3 -9.4 -10.2 -18.3 -7.4 -18.7 -7.4 -19.1 -19.1 -5.5 -6.4 -3.1 -3.2 -8.1 -10.6 -13.1 -11.5	15.4		99		08 1 0 0 0 6 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

bCloud entry. Cloud exit.





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		tr gu vel Ut	imum ue st ocity max 'ps)	Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts
	Α	ugust	15, 194	7 - Fli	ght 25			
			ne 344 ·				•	
b2650 - 2660 2660 - 2670 2670 - 2680 2680 - 2690 2700 - 2740 2740 - 2750 b2750 - 2760 2770 - 2950 2950 - 2960 2950 - 3010 b3010 - 3020 3020 - 3030 3030 - 3040 3040 - 3050 3050 - 3060 3050 - 3100 b3100 - 3110 3110 - 3120 3120 - 3130 3150 - 3350 3350 - 3360 3350 - 3360 3350 - 3360 3370 - 3380 3380 - 3390 3390 - 3400 3410 - 3420	20,000 19,500 20,000 19,500	15.4563-84-9-4232-73856-1245 14.4232-7385-3681245 15.663-84-9-4232-73856-1245	-10.1 -8.3 -2.4 -2.7 -6.7 -6.7 -7.4 -10.4 -13.3 -9.8 -7.0 -7.3 -11.0 -7.3 -11.0 -7.3 -10.7 -8.2	6.1 7.1 12.8 7.9	-6.1	52 54 54 178 	127	0075203500208105003568101856374

bCloud entry. cCloud exit.





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		tr gu vel U <sub>t</sub>	Maximum true gust velocity <sup>Ut</sup> max (fps)		st ient ance t)	No. of gusts
			15, 1947					
			ne 344 - f traver					
c3420 - 3430 b3430 - 3440 3440 - 3450 3450 - 3460 3460 - 3470 c3470 - 3480 3480 - 3490	19,500 20,000	9.2 17.4 8.7	-8.2 -5.9 -12.0 -6.2 -7.2		-6.6		266  	1 4 1 1 0 0
			ne 351 - of trave					
0 - 10 10 - 20 20 - 30 30 - 40 40 - 50 50 - 60 60 - 70 70 - 80 80 - 100	13,500 14,000	5.1 2.3 8.0 4.5 5.8 	-8.4 -6.8 -6.4 -11.9 -5.1 		-8.7  -4.4		117    151	4 5 11 5 0 1 0
			ne 351 - of trave					
bo - 10 10 - 20 20 - 30 30 - 40 40 - 50 50 - 60 60 - 70	15,000	4.38 4.5.2 	-6.4 -11.2 -9.0 -11.8 -6.7 -8.3		-18.8		371	3866310

bCloud entry.



cCloud exit.



TABLE I .- SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)		tr gv vel U <sub>t</sub>	imum us ust ocity max 'ps)	Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts
	A	ugust	15, 194	7 - Fli	ght 25			
			ne 351 of trave		rse 2 9.3 sec	_		
c70 - 80 80 - 100 b100 - 110 110 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 c140 - 150 150 - 160	15,000	4.2 3.2 10.5 4.2 3.5	-10.0 -4.5 -8.3 -7.7 -4.8 -5.8 -4.5	6.8	-5·1	95	   119	2 0 3 10 7 6 1 2
			ne 351 of trave		rse 3			
0 - 50 50 - 60 60 - 70 70 - 80 80 - 90 90 - 100 100 - 110 110 - 120 c120 - 130 130 - 200	15,500 15,000	4.1 2.2 7.3 11.1 9.9 13.7	-7.0 -7.6 -5.7 -6.4 -7.6 -17.2 -5.7		-16.9		260 176	0 3 10 6 7 8 7 1 0
Airplane 351 - Traverse 4 Length of traverse 150.6 sec								
0 - 30 b 30 - 40 40 - 50 50 - 60 60 - 70	15,500	4.4 5.1 3.8 4.1	-4.4 -8.9 -7.3	4.1		79 		0 6 7 2 8

bCloud entry. CCloud exit.





TABLE I.- SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)	Maximum true gust velocity <sup>U</sup> t <sub>max</sub> (fps)	Gust gradient distance (ft)	No. of gusts
		gust 15, 1947	<del></del>		
		irplane 351 - ngth of trave	Traverse 4		
70 - 80 80 - 90 90 - 100 100 - 110 c110 - 120 120 - 160	15,500	4.1 -6.0 3.2 -6.0 4.1 -4.4	8.1	 335 	36 31 00
		irplane 351 - ngth of trave	Traverse 5 rse 127.5 sec		
0 - 10 10 - 20 20 - 30 30 - 40 40 - 50 50 - 60 60 - 70 70 - 80 80 - 90 90 - 100 100 - 110 110 - 120 c120 - 130	15,500 15,000 15,500	2.2 -4.7 4.1 -9.8 14.2 -9.8 14.2 -4.4 3.8 -7.3 3.5 -3.8 -5.7 6.0 -2.5	7.2	213	0 8 ተ ተ መ መ መ ተ ተ ቀ 0
		irplane 351 - ngth of trave	Traverse 6		
0 - 110 110 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 140 - 150 150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180	15,500	2.8 1.9 -5.4 15.5 -10.7 8.8 -11.4 3.5 -3.5	15.5 9.0	46 46 92	0 1 3 0 1 4 6 4

bCloud entry. cCloud exit.





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	eff g vel U	ective pust ocity emax fps)	Maximum true gust velocity Utmax (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts
	, L	Airpla ength	ne 351 - of trave	Trave	rse 6 2.8 sec			
180 - 190 190 - 200 200 - 210 210 - 220 230 - 240 240 - 250 250 - 260 260 - 270 270 - 280 280 - 290 290 - 300 310 - 480 480 - 490 500 - 510 510 - 520 520 - 530 530 - 540 550 - 560 560 - 570 570 - 580 580 - 590 590 - 600 610 - 620 620 - 630 630 - 640 640 - 650 650 - 660	15,500	4.52.42 3.5.7 5.2.2 2.8.2 4.8.7 4.1.76 4.2.2 4.3.4 4.6.4.2	-4.4 -5.1 -4.4 -9.2.5 -7.9 -6.9 -2.5 -7.9 -6.9 -4.4 -4.0 -7.5 -7.5 -7.5 -7.5 -7.5 -7.5	6.6	-6.8	128	164  164 	6345300143041000006100106448656

bCloud entry. cCloud exit.





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)	Maximum true gust velocity <sup>U</sup> t <sub>max</sub> (fps)	Gust gradient distance (ft)	No. of gusts
		ugust 15, 194	7 - Flight 25		
		Airplane 351 ength of trave	Traverse 6		
660 - 670 670 - 680 680 - 690 690 - 700 6700 - 710 710 - 720 720 - 740 740 - 770	16,000 15,500	3.8 -4.7 2.8 -3.8 4.7 3.8	4.9	157	6 2 0 3 1 0 0
		Airplane 351 ength of trave	Traverse 7 erse 237.0 sec		
0 - 150 150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180 180 - 190 190 - 200 200 - 210 210 - 240	15,000	5.9 -2.5 9.3 -10.3 9.0 -9.7 11.5 -9.3 2.2 -6.2 3.7 -4.7	6.7	25	0 3 10 10 7 2 2 0
		Airplane 327 ength of trave	- Traverse l erse 375.4 sec		
0 - 50 50 - 180 180 - 190 190 - 200 200 - 210 210 - 220 220 - 230 230 - 240	10,000 9,500 10,000	3.6 -3.1 11.1 8.7 -11.4 8.9 -7.1 3.0 -11.7 3.9	5.4 11.6  8.8 	37 49  96  81	00446561

bCloud entry. cCloud exit.





TABLE I .- SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	eff g vel U	ximum ective ust ocity emax fps)	tr gu vel Ut (f	st ocity max ps)	Gu grad dist (f	ient ance	'No. of gusts
		Airpla	ne 327 -	Trave	rse l			
240 - 250 250 - 260 260 - 270 270 - 280 280 - 290 290 - 300 300 - 310 310 - 320 320 - 330 330 - 340 340 - 350 350 - 360 360 - 380	10,000	3.0 6.1  5.1 	-4.6 -3.7 -3.1 -3.2 -3.3	8.2		78  148  241		3201021011010
·			ne 327 - of trave					
0 - 30 30 - 40 40 - 60 60 - 70 70 - 80 80 - 90 90 - 100 100 - 120 120 - 130 130 - 140 140 - 150 150 - 160 160 - 170 170 - 180 180 - 190 190 - 200 200 - 210	10,500	3.5 2.7 3.5 4.8 4.8 5.0 6.3	-2.4 -3.0 -3.1 -9.0 -3.6 -3.0 -2.2	4.4 8.3 7.9	-5.8	126  126  123 146	97	01011020115342547

Cloud entry coloud exit.





TABLE I. - SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	titude velocity		Maximum true gust velocity Utmax (fps)		Gust gradient distance (ft)		No. of gusts
			ne 327 - of trave					·
530 - 540 550 - 530 510 - 550	10,500	4.8	-3.5 -5.4					0 7 14
			ne 327 - of trave					
0 - 60  60 - 70  70 - 80  80 - 90  90 - 100  100 - 110  110 - 120  120 - 130  130 - 140  140 - 150  150 - 160  160 - 170  170 - 180  180 - 190  190 - 210  210 - 220  220 - 230  230 - 240  240 - 250  250 - 260  260 - 270  270 - 280  290 - 300  300 - 330  310 - 360	10,000	8.7684 10.87711 10.87715 10.87715 10.87715 10.87715	-6.9 -6.8 -6.3 -6.3 -6.3 -6.3 -7.0 -7.7 -7.1 -6.7 -7.1 -6.7 -2.8 -8.2	9.9		33 95     84		027458201734440123214581000

bCloud entry. cCloud exit.





TABLE I.- SUMMARY OF GUST MEASUREMENTS - Concluded

Time interval (sec)	Pressure altitude (ft)	Maximum effective gust velocity Uemax (fps)	tr gu vel Ut	Maximum true gust velocity <sup>Ut</sup> max (fps)		est ident ance	No. of gusts	
	August 15, 1947 - Flight 25							
Airplane 327 - Traverse 4 Length of traverse 48.4 sec								
0 - 50	10,000						0	





TABLE II. - SUMMARY OF DRAFT-VELOCITY MEASUREMENTS FROM FLIGHTS
OF P-61C AIRPLANES WITHIN THUNDERSTORMS

Date	Flight no.	Air- plane no.	Assigned altitude (ft)		Draft location from start of traverse (sec) Start End		Draft extent (ft)	Average draft velocity (fps)
8-13-47	23	344	20,000	a	Board	Enu		
				82				
				a <sub>3</sub>				
				<b>a</b> ∫†				
				5	386.0 1148.4 2245.6	432.0 1184.6 2258.0	14,489 11,918 3,860	5.1 13.8 40.3
		327	15,000	al	·			
				2	100.6 322.3 461.5 705.7 973.7	127.7 349.8 475.0 731.7 993.3	6,291 6,436 3,356 5,855 4,592	8.0 10.9 -17.0 6.9 13.0
				3	37.5 769.6 1212.3 1638.2	73.0 828.5 1235.4 1 <i>6</i> 59.4	8,351 13,911 5,217 5,191	7.4 7.6 17.3 18.9
				a <sub>l</sub>				
		333	10,000	<sup>a</sup> l				
				ෂප				
				3	57.5	89.5	9,906	37.5
				ajţ				
				<b>a</b> 5				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup>No draft velocities indicated by records.





TABLE II. - SUMMARY OF DRAFT-VELOCITY MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Date	Flight no.	Air- plane no.	ne altitude erse (sec)		tart of erse ec)	Draft extent (ft)	Average draft velocity (fps)	
					Start	End	<b>_</b>	
8-13-47	23	333	10,000	6	115.0	141.8	8,120	19.6
				7	208.0	235.5	7,940	27.3
				8	107.0	146.0	11,009	9-3
				a9				
8-14-47	24	344	20,000	1	251.0	298.4	16,527	14-0
	٠,			2	46.0	67.0	6,272	23.8
				<sup>8</sup> 3				
				4	281.0	323.0	12,068	37-7
				5	128.0	153.0	7,614	8.6
		327	15,000	ı	314.0	354.0	12,316	23.9
				<sup>8</sup> 2		_		
	,			3	134.8	178.0	13,328	23.1
				डा <sup>‡</sup>	,			
				<b>a</b> 5				
				6	118.0	183.0	20,320	30.1
		351	10,000	1	604.3	649.0	12,799	14.8
				e <sub>2</sub>				
				3	1419.0 1567.4	1468.4 1581.0	14,684 3,851	-7.1 15.6

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup>No draft velocities indicated by records.





TABLE II. - SUMMARY OF DRAFT-VELOCITY MEASUREMENTS - Continued

Date	Flight no.	Air- plane no.	Assigned altitude (ft)		trave	tart of	Draft extent (ft)	Average draft velocity (fps)
					Start	End.		(1pa)
8-14-47	514	353	6,000	al		,	,	
				<b>8</b> 2				
				а <sub>3</sub>				
				e)t		:		
				5	163.0	219.0	13,360	-11.7
				<sup>a</sup> 6				·
				a7				
8-15-47	25	353	25,000	<sup>a</sup> l				
				සට				ļ
				а <sub>3</sub>				
				4	58.4	69.0	3,470	24.5
				<b>a</b> 5				
				a <sub>6</sub>				
				7	98.0	110.0	2,775	26.7
				<b>a</b> 8				j
				9	160.4	176.0	5,042	21.8
		Í		10	81.0	100.6	6,069	23.5
				11	126.0	149.0	7,961	16.5

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup>No draft velocities indicated by records.





TABLE II. - SUMMARY OF DRAFT-VELOCITY MEASUREMENTS - Concluded

Date	Flight no.	Air- plane no.	ne altitude		Draft location from start of traverse (sec)		Draft extent (ft)	Average draft velocity (fps)
					Start	End		(150)
8-15-47	25	3 <del>կկ</del>	20,000	1	355.0 807.0 2184.0	401.0 839.2 2199.0	15,404 10,987 4,992	10.5 -13.3 25.6
		351	15,000	a <sub>l</sub>				
,				<sup>8</sup> 2				
				a <sub>3</sub>				
				Įţ ·	68.5	97.0	9,092	-6.0
				<b>a</b> 5				
				6	595.0	680.0	26,276	6.8
				7	157-5	174.5	5,374	10.1
		327	10,000	a <sub>l</sub>				
,				a <sub>2</sub>				
				3	140.0	183.0	11,778	9.9

<sup>.</sup>aNo draft velocities indicated by records.





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## ABSTRACT

The gust and draft velocities from records of NACA instruments installed in P-61C airplanes participating in thunderstorm flights at Clinton County Army Air Field, Ohio, from August 13, 1947 to August 15, 1947 are presented.